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VOLUME 2

THE EVENING NEWS.

DEVOTED TO MAKING ADA A LARGER AND MORE PROGRESSIVE CITY

ADA, INDIAN TERRITORY, FRIDAY EVENING, MARCH 16, 1906

TEMPERATURE TODAY:

At 3 p.m., 30 degrees.

NUMBER 308

CANNON CARRIED CAUCUS BUT 81 WERE ABSENT

Washington, March 16.—The forty-three insurrectos who voted against the adoption of the rule by which the statehood bill's passage was made possible stood out against the Speaker last afternoon. But 125 voted with him for a resolution expressing it as the sense of the caucus that the republicans ought not to assent to the senate amendments to the statehood bill. So the insurrectos were whipped again. But there is perhaps less significance in this vote than there is in the fact that there were eighty-one absentees. The republican membership is 249; there were only 168 republicans at last afternoon's meeting, which the voters call a caucus and which the vanquished call a conference. Those eighty-one make a potential body under the circumstances. Less than one-fifth of them added to the forty-three faithful insurrectos, and the sum of them added again to the solid democratic vote of 137, would make a majority of the house, which, when Mr. Hamilton, following the direction of the caucus, moved to nonconcur in the senate amendments and send the bill to conference, could carry as a substitute a motion to concur.

First, the motion that the house ought not to concur in the senate amendments prevailed by a vote of 125 to 43. A number of the insurgents left the chamber when this vote was announced, and afterward, when Mr. Hamilton offered a resolution, expressing it as the sense of the caucus that the house nonconcur in the senate amendment and that the bill be sent to conference, the vote was 125 to 35.

The action of Mr. Hamilton is proposing to send the bill to conference is taken to mean that the Speaker has abandoned his purpose of letting the bill go back to

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BUSINESS MEN ACTIVE IN STATEHOOD CRISIS

In response to the call of President Hays of the Commercial Club for a statehood meeting a large number of citizens assembled Thursday night at the club room.

C. H. Ennis was unanimously elected chairman of the meeting and S. M. Shaw secretary.

In even suggesting that the bill be sent to conference the Speaker has receded from his first position. Indeed, it may be said to be the general opinion that in deciding on this course the Speaker is making the predicate for a compromise. The conferees will be named by him, on the part of the house, of course, and two of the three will be subject to his direction. The likelihood is that they will be directed to stand out immovably against the Burrows amendment, but after a time they will be permitted to compromise on the original Foraker amendment, which provides that the people of New Mexico and Arizona shall vote on the question of their admission at the time the constitution is submitted for their ratification.

Porter's Politics.

U. S. Marshal G. A. Porter, who attended court in Ada this week, in speaking of the report circulated some days ago, to the effect that he was formerly a Democrat, took occasion in the presence of the News man to again emphatically deny the accusation. He declared he has always been a Republican from principle, and has never failed to support the National ticket. However he asserts he has seldom voted a straight party ticket in state, county or municipal elections, considering them not to involve party principles. Mr. Porter appears to be simply a good Republican of the more liberal type.

C. C. Ruddell, W. M. Emmons and J. T. Emmons, with their families, have arrived from White County, Ark., to secure land and reside in this country.

CHARGES ARE PREFERRED AGAINST EMBRY ALSO

Washington, March 16.—The President yesterday withdrew the nomination of John Embry to be United States attorney for Oklahoma.

The nomination was withdrawn by the President because of charges which have been preferred against Mr. Embry. It is

wholesale houses in the North or East to make a pull on Washington in statehood's behalf, and each local bank wire likewise to an eastern correspondent, and that all complying with the request report their action to the statehood mass meeting Saturday night.

Finally the elaborate discussions of the evening crystallized into the following action of the body: Messrs. Campbell, Weaver and Chambliss were appointed a committee to draft suitable messages to send to proper parties back East, urging congress to grant statehood to Oklahoma and Indian Territory. The committee was given plenary powers in the matter, limited to the expenditure of \$25 to be paid by the Commercial Club.

A motion was carried requesting that each local merchant at once wire to at least one of his

Commercial Club.

alleged that for the performance of certain law work of the Indians, Embry collected money from the Indians to which he was not entitled. Pending an investigation of the charges the president withdrew the nomination.

If the charges should not be sustained the nomination will be forwarded to the senate.

ALIENATION CLAUSE NOT EFFECTIVE TILL JULY 1

Washington, March 16.—The conference put the finishing touches on the Five Tribes bill last afternoon and agreed on its report. The matters remaining undisposed of were of minor importance, but the work of the committee yesterday acquired some importance by reason of the fact that it made the third change in the section relating to the disposition of the mineral lands.

By this latest decision the provision for the sale of the surface of the mineral lands, which was put in Tuesday at the instance of Mr. Stephens, was stricken out, and the bill now provides, merely, that for a period of one year none of the mineral lands shall be either sold or leased. This is substantially the Senate amend-

ment.

The committee also agreed to a provision which will enable the towns of the Territory to issue bonds for street improvements, so that in the event the statehood bill should fail there will be some means to do this work.

The conference report will not be submitted until next week. The conferees also agree to an amendment providing that the section relating to the removal of restrictions on the surplus lands of less than fullbloods shall not become effective until July 1. This was done as a precaution against plans which are understood to have been made to buy up at once such lands as under this provision will become alienable.

COLD WEATHER COOLS THE ARDOR OF VOTERS

On this, the 16th, the democrats of Ada are choosing the city officers for the ensuing year. While the severe weather does not seem to deter many voters from the primary polls, still there is by no means the keen excitement which has prevailed on such occasions in former years. The contests arousing most interest and comment seem to be the marshal's race and that for aldermen of the third ward. Also the friends of the two candidates for city attorney are quite active.

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ADA EVENING NEWS.

OFFICIAL CITY PAPER.

OTIS B. WEAVER - PUBLISHER
M. D. STEINER, - BUSINESS MANAGER

Entered as Second class matter March 26, 1904, at the Postoffice at Ada, Indian Territory, under the Act of Congress March 3, 1869.

Advertising rates furnished on application.

Got His Titles Mixed.

Senator Hemenway of Indiana, is new to the ways of the senate, but very familiar with the ways of the house, where he served for many years before he went into the senate. One day in debate on the pure food bill he referred many times to Senator Heyburn, who was in charge of the bill, as "The gentleman from Idaho," which is the custom of the house. In the senate they say "the senator from Idaho." After Hemenway had called Heyburn "the gentleman from Idaho," several times he realized that he had made a mistake. "I hope," he said apologetically, "that the senator from Idaho will pardon me for calling him a gentleman." A little later Hemenway had occasion to refer to Senator Gallinger. He said: "The senator from New Hampshire, the most eminent physician in the senate." "Thank you for nothing," snapped Gallinger, "inasmuch as I am the only physician in the senate."

Out of 20 Kinds The Best.

"Ship one gross Dr. Mendenhall's Chill and Fever Cure. It gives the best satisfaction of about 20 brands I carry." — J. R. Hafford, Druggist, Rector, Ark. Children like it. Sold on a signed guarantee by Clark Drug Co.

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Etiquette Reformed.

"You see that hat?" abruptly demanded an Ada gentleman, as he thrust forth his head-piece for the reporter's inspection. The latter weekly admitted that he observed the hat. "You note," resumed the gentleman, "this bonnet is a genuine 'John B.' and comparatively new, yet it has a decidedly triangular contour. That comes from continually lifting my hat in greeting ladies on the street and replacing the same. Now I don't like any of your three-cornered cocked hats on top of me. I wasn't fashioned for the Washington-crossing-the-Delaware pose."

After pausing to expectorate the speaker continued. "Do you know what I'm going to do, fellow?" The reporter ventured to whisper he wasn't sure. "Why, I'm going in to defy that senseless rule of etiquette to abolish it. I pay as much homage to woman-kind as any man. I indorse politeness and all the amenities wherever there is a reason. But I be hanged if any longer I warp my hats into frightful shapes and tousle my ambrosial locks in savage disorder. Henceforth, I compromise on a graceful variation of the military salute."

Cured Hemorrhages of the Lungs

"Several years since my lungs were so badly affected that I had several hemorrhages," writes A. M. Ake of Wood, Ind. "I took treatment with several physicians without any benefit. I then started to take Foley's Honey and Tar, and my lungs are now as sound as a bullet. I recommend it in advanced stages of lung trouble." Foley's Honey and Tar stops the cough and heals the lungs, and prevents serious results from a cold. Refuse substitutes. Clark Drug Co. and Mason Drug Co.

Election Notice.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the Town of Ada, Indian Territory, on Tuesday, April 3d, 1906, at the places herein after named, for the purpose of electing the following officers, to-wit:

Mayor, Treasurer, City Attorney, Marshal, Recorder, two Aldermen from each ward. Street Commissioner.

That said election will be held in the following places, to-wit:

Ward No. 1. In Lee Nettles' Frame Building, one door north from the Commercial Hotel.

Ward No. 2. At the Mayor's office.

Ward No. 3. At the Zinn brick building, one door west from the court house.

Ward No. 4. At the frame store building in the Chickasaw Wagon Yard on west Main street.

The polls will be opened at 8 o'clock, a. m. and closed at sunset.

Given under my hand on this the 10th day of March, 1906.

W. C. Duncan, Mayor.

Sorosis Club.

Mrs. Lucas was hostess to the Club last Friday afternoon.

Our faithful president presided and thirteen members responded to roll call with some recent architectural achievement.

The lesson, continuance of Midsummer Night's Dream, was well conducted by Mrs. B. C. King. Mesdames McMillan and Hendley gave interesting accounts of the theatres of Shakespeare's time, and Old Inns and Taverns of London.

A pleasing feature was the discussion "Is Love a Madness," taken from these lines in the lesson:

"The lunatic, the lover and the poet
Are of imagination all compact.
One sees more devils than vast
Hell can hold,

That is the madman,
The lover all frantic,
See Helen's beauty in a braw
of Egyt." Etc.

From the opinions expressed it would appear that love, like every other human situation, has two aspects, the one tragical, the other comical.

The Club felt honored that the Territorial President had selected one of their members, Mrs. Hodges, as one of the Educational Committee, and are sure that she will very ably fill the position.

Miss Case favored the club with two very sweet musical selections.

We're glad to welcome Mrs. Broadfoot back into the Club. Adjourned to meet with Mrs. McMillan on March 23.

The Original

Foley & Co., Chicago, originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered as no other preparation will give the same satisfaction. It is mildly laxative. It contains no opiates and is safest for children and delicate persons. Clark Drug Co. and Mason Drug Co.

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Ada, Ind. Ter.

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No. 510 Meteor, 4:48 p. m.
No. 512 Eastern Exp, 9:45 a. m.
No. 542 Local Freight, 3:45 p. m.

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No. 509 Meteor 8:58 a. m.
No. 511 Texas Pass 8:15 p. m.
No. 541 Local Freight 7:45 a. m.

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LOCAL NEWS

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Hon. W. J. Cruse returned to Ardmore after transacting business this week in Ada.

Lost:—A gentleman's pearl handled knife. Reward if left at News office at once. 2t 308

See P. K. Smith for up-to-now photo work. 152-tf

W. W. Brown, route agent for Wells-Fargo, is transacting business in Ada.

Mrs. Nellie Goodwin of the Creek Nation is a guest of her father, Preston Early.

The celebrated Albatross flour at Walsh's. tf 298

A. C. Smythe, C. W. Hardwick and J. S. Searcy of Calvin have been attending the court.

WANTED:—A man with equipment to clean out a bored well. tf 306

High Thompson, special agent for the Frisco, is looking after company business in Ada today.

The celebrated Albatross flour at Walsh's. tf 298

Tom Lancaster's baby is very sick.

John Daggs is critically ill with pneumonia.

The celebrated Albatross flour at Walsh's. tf 298

Mrs. M. B. Donaghey returned home from Southtown.

Mrs. Mattie Cloyd came home last night from a visit with her brother at Ardmore.

Dr. Bisant, dentist, over Ada National Bank. tf 279

J. Bedford returned today from Oklahoma City.

Dr. B. H. Erb, dentist, Henley & Biles building. Phone No. 1. 233-tf

J. B. Kennard is here from Sulphur.

M. L. Perkins is here from Mesquite, Texas.

C. D. Ebey is in town from Texico, N. M.

Wedding invitations—latest styles—turned out at the News office. tf

H. E. Jones, a prominent Texan banker, is in town looking over the field for investment.

Lost:—Set of ring bearing Old English letter "S" with six chip diamonds inserted in letter. Return to M. D. Steiner at News office and get reward. tf 307

Attorneys Casteel and Bullock returned to Roff after attending the court this week.

J. M. Scott, of Madill, spent yesterday in the city looking after his dry goods business.

Gen'mens, you just let me shine yo' shoes and you sho will look swell when you git out of my chair. Call for Columbus at Crowder's Barber Shop. 3t 306

J. M. Weems and J. W. Harper of Sulphur and W. M. Baughman of Roff were among yesterday's visitors.

J. C. Little, Esq., returned today to his new home at Sulphur. He and John Casteel have formed a law partnership at that place.

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A large number of witnesses were here from Sulphur yesterday to testify in the suit over the valuable Sulphur lot. Most of them returned home this morning, among them J. R. Standiver, his son, P. J., J. J. Jones, J. L. Seeds and Mrs. Pearl Williams.

Murphy & Patterson have opened a skating rink in the building formally occupied by R. S. Tobin. They have a fine assortment of new skates and know how to operate a rink. Every body welcome. 406-4t

WANTED:—To work for a private family or hotel, private family preferred. Apply at Wood hotel. 2t 308

The Juryman Slept on.

At noon Friday when the grand jury adjourned for dinner, one of the jurymen failed to adjourn. He had been up all night attending the Odd Fellows' fellow festivites. Not being able to arouse him easily, his strenuous procured a large fire cracker and touched it off under his chair. He only sighed and slept serenely on. Whereupon his friends sent for a still larger cracker of cannon proportions. When that exploded the jurymen awoke with the terror of the damned in his face.

U. S. Court.

There was little of interest to the general public in the U. S. court's proceedings Thursday. There was a jury trial in the case of James L. Wyatt vs. Lee Trammel et al., in which plaintiff was given a small judgement for breach of a farm labor contract. In the afternoon a suit was on trial involving the right to a lot in Sulphur. Jno. P. McKinley was commissioned a notary public.

Mr. Sipes Locates in Ada.

Mr. T. Sipes and family, recently from Tulsa, have moved into the residence on 14th street next to W. W. Higgin's. Mr. Sipes is a Tennessean, has resided in the territory seven years and has a decided preference for the southern part of the new state. He will in the near future engage in business in Ada. We are glad to have the estimable family added to our citizenship.

Thinks Fruit Uninjured.

J. E. Biles thinks the fruit crop in this vicinity is as yet not injured by the freeze. He was exhibiting on the streets a peach twig, the bursting buds of which appeared unharmed. Mr. Biles has examined a number of trees and he says all of them have escaped unscathed.

Court Notes.

In the suit of Shinners vs. S. Y. Seeds over a bunch of lots at Sulphur now valued at \$4,000, the jury returned a verdict Friday morning awarding possession of the property to the plaintiff.

In the divorce suit of Amos S. Reckard vs. Mary E. Reckard a decree was granted plaintiff.

□ The grand jury brought in its first report in the afternoon. It found 14 commissioners' indictments, 16 originals and reported no bills in six commissioner cases.

Court adjourned at 3 o'clock until Monday. The judge will go to Chickasha for a two day's visit.

Advertising Committee.

The advertising committee selected by the Ada commercial club to determine on class and character of advertising considered best to properly advertise Ada, met this morning to consider an advertising project which was presented by some St. Louis gentlemen who are promoting a special edition of the T. P. A Magazine, which is projected to contain a write up of fifteen Indian Territory towns. After carefully considering the proposition, it was unanimously voted that the advertising scheme was not acceptable and that the committee would not recommend it. The members of the committee were Otis B. Weaver, J. M. Doss, W. H. L. Campbell, John W. Dale and W. H. Ebey.

Drapes Political Conditions.

W. H. Ramsay, the examiner for the Department of Justice, after a week's official visit to Ada, left Friday for Dallas, thence to return East. This completes Mr. Ramsay's tour of the territory. After having visited all the important territory towns, he expressed himself as especially pleased with Ada.

Having spent the winter in this country, he says he appreciates the existing conditions as never before, and is an earnest advocate of single statehood for the two territories. Without such a personal investigation, Mr. Ramsay thinks no outsider can really grasp the shortcomings of the present political status. What appeals to him first and foremost is the thousands of children growing up in densest ignorance for lack of rural public schools which can only be secured through statehood.

Gov. W. L. Byrd arrived home today from an important trip to Muskogee. He had to come back via Shawnee on account of a wreck at Spalding yesterday.

Notice.

The delinquent tax list will be made out and published next week. Pay now and save cost. tf 287 J. I. Warren, Recorder.

Odd Fellows Big Time.

The following Roff Odd Fellows on Thursday night organized in Ada an encampment of that order.

T. J. Smith, E. J. Merritt, Geo. Hattenbach, J. H. Spann, S. H. Ailey, A. L. Bullock, E. E. Matthews, Geo. Mulder, Charles Billingsley and J. M. Sanders.

There were forty candidates from Ada and neighboring towns, twenty-three of whom were initiated last night. It was a big night for Odd Fellowship in Ada, and it lasted nearly all night.

Kansans Plug for Statehood.

Judge J. T. Dickerson is considerably elated over the action of the Republicans in his old congressional district Thursday. In convention they nominated J. M. Miller for Congressman of the 4th Kansas district, and gave him emphatic instructions to cut loose from everything else and pull with all his might for statehood for Oklahoma and Indian Territory alone.

Death Rate in New York and Chicago.

During November and December, 1903, one fifth of the deaths in New York and Chicago were from pneumonia. Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops the cough but heals and strengthens the lungs and prevents pneumonia, so do not take chances on a cold wearing away when Foley's Honey and Tar will cure you quickly and prevent serious results. Clark Drug Co. and Mason Drug Co.

The Empire

V. HALE, Manager

On account of the inclement weather we will only give two shows a day, 3:30 and 8:30 p.m.

PROGRAM:

Silver Wedding

Arbitration

Messenger Boy's Mistake

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Illustrated Song, "Follow the Crowd on Sunday."

Little Train Robbery

Hubby Tries to Keep House

Illustrated Song, "The Waltz Must Change to a March."

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Why pay big profits when

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Why pay 5c per package for garden seed when you can buy 2 large packages for 5c. These seeds are fresh grown and none better upon the market.

We have hundreds of useful items you can buy at 5c and 10c. You have often paid twice the money for the same grade of goods.

What 5c Will Buy

2 cakes of Swiss laundry soap.
Large cake Cocoa Castile toilet soap.
2 boxes best Bag Blue.
Box 1000 matches.
Bottle Best Vaseline.
Handy kitchen knife.
2 mouse traps.
1 card good pearl buttons.
2 glass nest eggs.
Big piece table glassware.
5 yds lace shelf paper.
4 qt tin milk pan.
1 qt covered bucket.
Good strong fire shovel.
Good scrub brush.
Writing tablets 100 pages ink paper.
Package new style wallet envelopes.
5 rubber tip lead pencils.
And lots of other items.

What 10c Will Buy

"Henry Disston's" Files, 8-inch, engraved lamp chimney, good No. 2 lamp burner, good heavy padlock, 10 qt milk pail, 2 qt tin coffee pot, 3 qt tin sauce pans, 50 feet wire clothesline, 20 Holdfast clothes pins, 16 oz package Defiance starch, 3 cakes Silk soap, 6 cakes Greenville soap. Largest assortment of 10c novelties, glassware, plates, cups and saucers, vases, etc., ever shown in the city. Men's, ladies' or child's hose supporters, ladies' fast black hose, good dressing combs, Aluminum fine combs, etc.

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Our big business in candy is pretty fair evidence that we are doing what we say. Try for yourself. Cocoa bonbons and chocolate drops, per pound 12c

Yes, we have anything you want in Base Ball goods, Fishing Tackle and Marbles and the prices right.

Thanking you for past patronage and respectfully asking a continuance of same,

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Wednesday, March 14,

TALES OF ADVENTURE

A PLUCKY GIRL.

FEW years ago a wealthy woman in Denver had a housemaid who attracted the attention of such of her callers as had an eye to see, by her refinement and good breeding. After awhile she disappeared, and her former employer was strictly non-committal as to her whereabouts, saying nothing except to speak in the highest terms of her qualities. The facts of the story came into my possession, and they were very interesting.

The girl had been graduated from one of the big Eastern colleges for women. She had taken the course at the expense of strenuous sacrifice on the part of her family, and was exceedingly anxious to become an earner at once upon her graduation. She was well fitted to step at once into a good pedagogic position.

But at the very moment of graduation, coming under the care of a physician, he told her the sad news that her lungs were in very poor condition. They were not diseased, he said, and if she could go directly to a proper climate and live in it for some years they would in all probability become perfectly sound; but that by remaining where she was for the next few years she risked tuberculosis. There were tendencies of tuberculosis in her family, and she took the advice to her second girl."

She started straight for Colorado, hoping to get a school. But just at that time there was a serious agitation in that State over the risk to children of employing so many Eastern consumptives in the schools. In response to the searching questions of each Board of Education to which she applied, her story would come out, and she could get no school. Rather than remain a burden upon her family for another day, she took a place as a "second girl."

It was a pretty sad time for her. At the time of graduation she had been engaged to a young college man. He had his start in life to make, and also owed something to his family in the way of helping to educate younger children. It was impossible for them to marry for a few years. When she took the place as a servant she wrote releasing him from the engagement. The man, however, refused the release. He wrote her to hold on, to get as much outdoor life as possible, build up her health, and eventually they would work out the problem. Two years later he stepped into a professor's berth in a college in the Middle West. The pay was not plutocratic, but it enabled them to marry, and the housemaid became a professor's wife.

New York Sun.

THROUGH THE BUSH.

From Oxford to Matabeleland is a long distance, and from the life of a college student to that of a surveyor in South Africa a far cry. A recent graduate of the English university tells in the New York Evening Post of a dangerous and trying journey through the bush. The party of surveyors had met with various misfortunes, the greatest of which was the slaughter of most of their cattle by lions. Only two were left to draw the cart. The travelers had to journey by foot. In this fashion the party turned back toward their starting place, Bulawayo.

Our provisions began to grow low. We ran successively out of jam, corn, vegetables, coffee, sugar, and, what was more serious, our ammunition began to fail, and we were reduced to two cartridges a day. It was not yet hot enough to make "biltong," a dried meat, which keeps good for an indefinite time.

"Do you think you could steer a straight course through the bush?" the captain asked me one day.

I said I thought so.

The captain snorted a little contemptuously.

"I want you to go there," he said, pointing to a high range of kopjes five miles away. "Plant a large flag on the top of the highest hill you can find. It is to serve as the apex of the triangle we have been measuring. Start early to-morrow and guide yourself by the sun, allowing for its ascent and declination."

I started at dawn, carrying an ax, and a large roll of calico for the flag. I reached the kopje shortly before noon, and after climbing with difficulty the great boulders, saw a higher range at the back. On the top of this I planted the flag securely, and after resting a bit started on my return with a light heart.

I had been walking for about three hours when my first doubts assailed me. It was growing dusk, the kopjes stood behind me, rows on rows, all alike. There was no landmark to guide me. I was lost.

I wandered about for more than two hours. The sun went down and the moon came out. To be lost in the bush is a serious matter. Suddenly, in the stillness of the night, I heard a beautiful sound, like a high note drawn by a master on some old violin. It might have been a mile away, and it rose and fell plaintively on the breeze. It was a lion, lifting up his voice by a pool.

I proceeded in the opposite direction. Luckily it was the right one, and after a few miles I came upon the

traces of our last night's camp. I followed our wagon trail, and just as the sun rose came upon my party.

The captain met me with the information that the ammunition was gone. Later one of us discovered a cartridge in the bottom of the cart, and brought down a duck. That night we had dinner for the last time in six days. Afterward we were reduced to half a pound of flour a day, which we mixed into a gruel and boiled.

On the fourth day all our supplies were gone. The last two days are hardly a memory to me. I remember trudging beside the cart, hearing the cracking of the whip as the driver harried the weary oxen over the veld. At last, on the sixth day, we saw the houses of the settlement in the mirage two feet above the level of the plain.

MOUNTAIN TREASURE.

Dr. Augustus C. Hamlin, who died lately at his home in Bangor, was the owner of the Mount Mica mine, in the town of Paris, one of the most remarkable places in the world for its production of tourmalines. The story of the finding of these beautiful gems reads like a fairy-tale.

Not far from the little village of Paris Hill, Maine, rises an elevation known as Mount Mica, from the great sheets of mica which glisten on its sides. Under that shining surface the gray and white rocks have kept a secret for ages.

In 1820 two students, Elijah Hahlin and Ezekiel Holmes, were searching the vicinity for specimens of minerals. It was near nightfall on a cold autumn day, and they were about to turn their faces homeward when Hamlin caught sight of something sparkling at the roots of a tree. He picked it up, and found it to be a fragment of a clear green crystal. As it was too dark to look farther, the young men marked the spot, intending to return to it the next morning. That night a heavy snow-storm set in, and the ground was deeply covered for the winter.

When the spring came the two students were on the spot, eager for their unknown treasure. And they were not disappointed. The removal of a few handfuls of earth laid bare a shining store of brilliant green, pink and white crystals. Other cavities were found, and the enthusiastic discoverers promptly picked all these outside "pockets" of Mount Mica.

Specimens were sent to Professor Silliman, who pronounced the beautiful stones to be rare specimens of tourmalines. The mine is still being worked, and doubtless the gray granite, the white feldspar and the rose-streaked quartz of that hill-country cover many a rich hoard of brilliant gems.

FRONTIER STORIES.

Judge Edward Fenton Colborn, now of Salt Lake but an oldtime Kansan, tells this one on Bat Masterson:

In early days at Dodge City Bat was something of a practical joker as well as a gun player. An old character, such as may be seen hanging about saloons, sat one day in a chair in the Last Chance, leaning against the wall. He was a great fellow to brag about how brave he was and that he had many notches to his credit cut in his gunstock.

Masterson wanted to try the nerve of the old fellow, so he placed a cannon firecracker under his chair, lighted the fuse, and then, to attract the loafer's attention, handed him a new gun to look at. The firecracker went off with a bang that shook the walls. The old fellow leaped into the air like a winged Indian, and, throwing the gun on the floor, made for the door, yelling, "I'm killed, I'm killed!" This is another of Judge Colborn's stories:

When Dodge City was way out West, and hardly a night passed but that some one was killed, two desperate men met at a bar. They had had some trouble before and no further words were necessary. The thing in those days was to shoot on sight.

One of the men pulled his gun and fired, but his aim was bad, and the bullet struck the other man in one of his legs. The man who had received the wound made better work of it and put a bullet through his enemy's breast. He staggered, mortally wounded, and cried out:

"You have killed me!"

Quick the answer came back from the one who was shot in the leg:

"You haven't got any the best of me, cur. I'm killed, too!"

But he still lives.—Denver News.

LOGGER KILLS A COUGAR.

Jesse Hendricks, a logger of Holton, a town about twenty-five miles from Portland, on the Oregon side of the Columbia, was in the city recently endeavoring to dispose of the pelt of a cougar he had killed in the morning back of the logging camp in which he is employed.

Upon arising in the morning Hendricks noticed fresh tracks near the camp, and calling his dogs tracked the cougar to the forest, where the beast was treed and shot by the huntsman. The cougar had been feeding on the carcasses of two deer that had fallen victims to the rapacious beast. The animal measured seven feet from tip to tip, and its coat was sleek and thick, denoting that it had not been suffering from lack of food. Hendricks says that the cougars have been waging a war of extermination upon the deer of Columbia and Clatsop counties, and that a bounty should be offered for all pelts secured.—Portland Oregonian.

How He Left Her.

A prominent man called to condone with a lady on the death of her husband, and concluded by saying, "Did he leave you much?"

"Nearly every night," was the reply.

—Ladies' Home Journal.

THE MERRY SIDE OF LIFE

VINDICTIVE.

Although my fellow-man to me

Is closer than a brother,

It fills me full of ghoulish glee

When one trusts sues another.

ONE TIME WHEN IT WASN'T.

"Ten cents for using that telephone, sir."

"I thought this was a land of free speech."

A SHREWISH PHYSICIAN.

Mrs. Hoyle—"What did the doctor call your sickness?"

Mrs. Doyle—"I forget, but he gave it some high-priced name."

A TIMELY COMPARISON.

"Foolish, isn't he?"

"Foolish! He's as foolish as a hen

turkey fattening herself for the table."

—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

SEEMS REASONABLE.

"I don't like that barber's side whiskers. They are not appropriate."

"What sort of whiskers should a barber wear?"

"Chin whiskers, of course."

WHAT ELSE?

"Ma," asked little Egbert, "why does every farmer have a barn?"

"Why, to give barn dances in, of course," replied the fashionable mother with a deep yawn.

WELL, THEY DID IT.

"It didn't make any difference what church you attended yesterday."

"No?"

"No; every minister sounded the rose in their might' timbrel."

A PLEASANT ONE.

Mrs. Askitt—"I heard you had a surprise party at your house yesterday."

Mrs. Tellitt (absently) —"Yes, my husband gave me \$10 without my asking for it." —San Francisco Call.

FIXED FOR AWHILE.

"Cholly Dedbrooke is ardently running after Miss Scadbury."

"Still pressing his suit, eh?"

"Well, I think he got some tailor to trust him for a new one this fall."

BAD ENOUGH.

"I know a lot of bad things about that pork packer," declared Nurdy.

"Name a few," said Butts.

"For one thing he adulterates his sausages."

"Is that the wurst?"

SUSPICIOUS.

Mrs. Crimsonbeak—"You are being called on the telephone, John."

Mr. Crimsonbeak—"Just please put your ear to the receiver and hear what I'm being called for before I answer."

—Yonkers Statesman.

PROOF POSITIVE.

"This man Astoreller must want all the money there is in the world."

"Not at all. All he wants is a modest competency."

"How can you say that?"

"He's never gone into life insurance, has he?"

AN OFFSET.

Papa—"No, I shall not allow Gwen-

dolin to marry young Skadds."

Mamma—"But why not?"

Papa—"Suicide is hereditary in his family."

Mamma—"But so is \$10,000,000."

Cleveland Leader.

NOBODY.

Nurdy — "Even optimism may be made a nuisance."

Butts—"As to how?"

Nurdy—"Who wants to hear a woman singing, 'Let a Little Sunshine In,' with the thermometer standing at ninety-seven in the shade?"

THROUGH THE WORLD.

"I'm going to devote my life to sinking the deepest shaft ever dug by man."

"What for?"

"Scientific purposes."

"Well, I hope success will attend you on your way through the world."

AROUND IT.

"My patrons are very exacting," com-

plained the dry goods merchant.

"You don't know the meaning of the term," retorted the florist. "I'm the man who has exacting patrons. Every time I sell a potted plant the purchaser expects me to throw it in the earth."

TOUGH SLEDDING.

"I suppose it's pretty hard to sell life

insurance these days," remarked the casual visitor.

"Yes," admitted the agent, "it is. If we call a man a poor risk he gets mad, and if we call him a good risk he thinks we've got him classed as a 'come-on.'"

AN EMBARRASSING BLUNDER.

"How did your father treat George

when he asked for you?"

"It was one of papa's deaf days, and he thought George was asking for a loan."

"What did he say?"

"He told George that while he would be glad to loan him the trifle he asked for, he had so many requests of the same character that he begged to be excused." —Cleveland Plain Dealer.

HOUSEHOLD AFFAIRS

A KETTLE CLEANER.

A little article which housekeepers who have used pronoun indispensably could easily be made at home if not found in the local store, but the cost being only a dime it is of course cheaper to purchase if possible. It is a piece of heavy zinc, cut about three inches long and two inches wide with a slanting piece cut from one end, all the corners rounded and a hole pierced in one end by which it can be hung on a nail beside the sink. It is a kettle cleaner, and it does its work well.

COTTON WASTE CLEANSER.

Why do not housekeepers adopt cotton waste as a cleaning agent? Watch the engineer pick up a bunch of waste, wipe off oil or dust and throw the cotton into a heap to be burned at his convenience. How much better than to use a cloth which some one had to hem and some one else would have to wash and iron. Why is not cotton waste the best possible stuff to use instead of so many floor cloths, wall cloths, dust cloths, stove cleaners and mops? It is cheap, and it can be had anywhere. Cotton waste, by the way, is one of the best agencies for polishing

WEATHER FORECAST:
Tomorrow: Fair

THE EVENING NEWS.

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At 8 p. m., 80 degrees.

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CANNON CARRIED CAUCUS BUT 81 WERE ABSENT

Washington, March 16.—The forty-three insurrectos who voted against the adoption of the rule by which the statehood bill's passage was made possible stood out against the Speaker last afternoon. But 125 voted with him for a resolution expressing it as the sense of the caucus that the republicans ought not to assent to the senate amendments to the statehood bill. So the insurrectos were whipped again. But there is perhaps less significance in this vote than there is in the fact that there were eighty-one absentees. The republican membership is 249; there were only 168 republicans at last afternoon's meeting, which the voters call a caucus and which the vanquished call a conference. Those eighty-one make a potential body under the circumstances. Less than one-fifth of them added to the forty-three faithful insurrectos, and the sum of them added again to the solid democratic vote of 137, would make a majority of the house, which, when Mr. Hamilton, following the direction of the caucus, moved to nonconcur in the senate amendments and send the bill to conference, could carry as a substitute a motion to concur.

First, the motion that the house ought not to concur in the senate amendments prevailed by a vote of 125 to 43. A number of the insurgents left the chamber when this vote was announced, and afterward, when Mr. Hamilton offered a resolution, expressing it as the sense of the caucus that the house nonconcur in the senate amendment and that the bill be sent to conference, the vote was 126 to 35.

The action of Mr. Hamilton is proposing to send the bill to conference is taken to mean that the Speaker has abandoned his purpose of letting the bill go back to

the committee on territories "automatically," as it has been explained. At best, the parliamentary warrant for this course is only a pretext, and there are out against the Speaker last afternoon.

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Porter's Politics.

U. S. Marshal G. A. Porter, who attended court in Ada this week, in speaking of the report circulated some days ago, to the effect that he was formerly a Democrat, took occasion in the presence of the News man to again emphatically deny the accusation. He declared he has always been a Republican from principle, and has never failed to support the National ticket. However he asserts he has seldom voted a straight party ticket in state, county or municipal elections, considering them not to involve party principles. Mr. Porter appears to be simply a good Republican of the more liberal type.

C. C. Riddell, W. M. Emmons and J. T. Emmons, with their families, have arrived from White county, Ark., to secure land and reside in this country.

BUSINESS MEN ACTIVE IN STATEHOOD CRISIS

In response to the call of President Hays of the Commercial Club for a statehood meeting a large number of citizens assembled Thursday night at the club room.

G. H. Ennis was unanimously elected chairman of the meeting and S. M. Shaw secretary.

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A motion was carried requesting that each local merchant at once wire to at least one of his

wholesale houses in the North or East to make a pull on Washington in statehood's behalf, and each local bank wire likewise to an eastern correspondent, and that all complying with the request report their action to the statehood mass meeting Saturday night.

Finally the elaborate discussions of the evening crystallized into the following action of the body: Messrs. Campbell, Weaver and Chambliss were appointed a committee to draft suitable messages to send to proper parties back East, urging congress to grant statehood to Oklahoma and Indian Territory. The committee was given plenary powers in the matter, limited to the expenditure of \$25 to be paid by the Commercial Club.

CHARGES ARE PREFERRED AGAINST EMBRY ALSO

Washington, March 16.—The President yesterday withdrew the nomination of John Embry to be United States attorney for Oklahoma.

The nomination was withdrawn by the President because of charges which have been preferred against Mr. Embry. It is

alleged that for the performance of certain law work of the Indians, Embry collected money from the Indians to which he was not entitled. Pending an investigation of the charges the president withdrew the nomination. If the charges should not be sustained the nomination will be forwarded to the senate.

ALIENATION CLAUSE NOT EFFECTIVE TILL JULY 1

Washington, March 16.—The conference put the finishing touches on the Five Tribes bill last afternoon and agreed on its report. The matters remaining undisposed of were of minor importance, but the work of the committee yesterday acquired some importance by reason of the fact that it made the third change in the section relating to the disposition of the mineral lands. By this latest decision the provision for the sale of the surface of the mineral lands, which was put in Tuesday at the instance of Mr. Stephens, was stricken out, and the bill now provides, merely, that for a period of one year none of the mineral lands shall be either sold or leased. This is substantially the Senate amend-

ment. The committee also agreed to a provision which will enable the towns of the Territory to issue bonds for street improvements, so that in the event the statehood bill should fail there will be some means to do this work. The conference report will not be submitted until next week. The conferees also agree to an amendment providing that the section relating to the removal of restrictions on the surplus lands of less than fullbloods shall not become effective until July 1. This was done as a precaution against plans which are understood to have been made to buy up at once such lands as under this provision will become alienable.

COLD WEATHER COOLS THE ARDOR OF VOTERS

On this, the 16th, the democrats of Ada are choosing the city officers for the ensuing year. While the severe weather does not seem to deter many voters from the primary polls, still there is by no means the keen excitement which has prevailed on such occasions in former years. The contests arousing most interest and comment seem to be the marshal's race and that for aldermen of the third ward. Also the friends of the two candidates for city attorney are quite active.

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At 415 they had been voting.

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Got His Titles Mixed.

Senator Hemenway of Indiana, is new to the ways of the senate, but very familiar with the ways of the house, where he served for many years before he went into the senate. One day in debate on the pure food bill he referred many times to Senator Heyburn, who was in charge of the bill, as "The gentleman from Idaho," which is the custom of the house. In the senate they say "the senator from Idaho." After Hemenway had called Heyburn "the gentleman from Idaho," several times he realized that he had made a mistake. "I hope," he said apologetically, "that the senator from Idaho will pardon me for calling him a gentleman." A little later Hemenway had occasion to refer to Senator Gallinger. He said "The senator from New Hampshire, the most eminent physician in the senate." "Thank you for nothing," snapped Gallinger, "inasmuch as I am the only physician in the senate."

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Election Notice.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the Town of Ada, Indian Territory, on Tuesday, April 28, 1906, at the places hereinafter named, for the purpose of electing the following officers, to wit:

Mayor, Treasurer, City Attorney, Marshal, Recorder, two Alderman from each ward. Street Commissioner.

That said election will be held in the following places, to wit:

Ward No. 1. In Lee Nettles' Frame Building, one door north from the Commercial Hotel.

Ward No. 2. At the Mayor's office.

Ward No. 3. At the Zinn brick building, one door west from the court house.

Ward No. 4. At the frame store building in the Chickasaw Wagon Yard on west Main street.

The polls will be opened at 8 o'clock, a. m. and closed at sunset.

Given under my hand on this the 10th day of March, 1906.

W. C. Duncan, Mayor

Sorosis Club.

Mrs. Lucas was hostess to the Club last Friday afternoon.

Our faithful president presided and thirteen members responded to roll call with some recent architectural achievement.

The lesson, a continuance of Midsummer Night's Dream, was well conducted by Mrs. B. C. King. Mesdames McMillan and Hendley gave interesting accounts of the theatres of Shakespeare's time, and Old Inns and Taverns of London.

A pleasing feature was the discussion "Is Love a Madness," taken from these lines in the lesson:

"The lunatic, the lover and the poet

Are of imagination all compact.
One sees more devils than vast

Hell can hold,
That is the madman,

The lover all frantic,
See Helen's beauty in a brow

of Egyt." Etc.

From the opinions expressed it would appear that love, like every other human situation, has two aspects, the one tragical, the other comic.

The Club felt honored that the Territorial President had selected one of their members, Mrs. Hodges, as one of the Educational Committee, and are sure that she will very ably fill the position.

Miss Case favored the club with two very sweet musical selections.

We're glad to welcome Mrs. Broadfoot back into the Club. Adjourned to meet with Mrs. McMillan on March 23.

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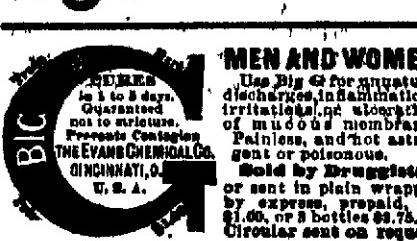
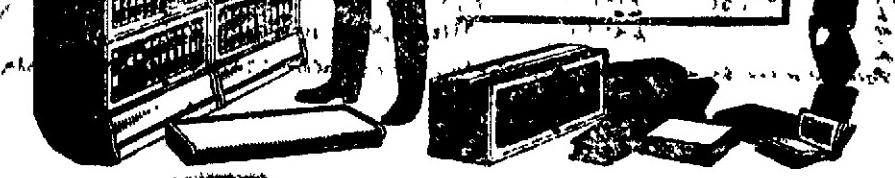
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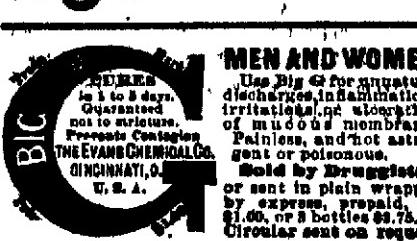
The Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway has resumed the DAILY through sleeping car service from St. Louis to the City of Mexico, which has heretofore been so popular with tourists, to Old Mexico.

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LOCAL NEWS

Subscribe for The News.

Hon. W. J. Bruce returned to Ardmore after transacting business this week in Ada.

Loer.—A gentleman's pearl handled knife. Reward if left at News office at once. 2t 308

See P. K. Smith for up-to-now photo work. 152-tf

W. W. Brown, route agent for Well-Fargo, is transacting business in Ada.

Mrs. Nellie Goodwin of the Creek Nation is a guest of her father, Preston Early.

The celebrated Albatross flour at Walsh's. tf 298

A. C. Smythe, C. W. Hardwick and J. S. Searcy of Calvin have been attending the court.

WANTED.—A man with equipment to clean out a bored well. tf 306 Otis B. Weaver.

High Thompson, special agent for the Frisco, is looking after company business in Ada today.

The celebrated Albatross flour at Walsh's. tf 298

Tom Lancaster's baby is very sick.

John Daggs is critically ill with pneumonia.

The celebrated Albatross flour at Walsh's. tf 298

Mrs. M. B. Donaghey returned home from Southtown.

Mrs. Mattie Cloyd came home last night from a visit with her brother at Ardmore.

Dr. Bisan, dentist, over Ada National Bank. tf 279

J. Bedford returned today from Oklahoma City.

Dr. B. H. Erb, dentist, Henley & Biles building. Phone No. 1. 238-tf

J. B. Kennard is here from Sulphur.

M. L. Perkins is here from Mesquite, Texas.

C. D. Ebey is in town from Texico, N. M.

Wedding invitations—late at styles—turned out at the News office. tf

H. E. Jones, a prominent Texan, is in town looking over the field for investment.

LOST.—Set of ring bearing Old English letter "S" with six chip diamonds inserted in letter. Return to M. D. Steiner at News office and get reward. tf 307

Attorneys Casteel and Bullock returned to Roff after attending the court this week.

F. M. Scott, of Madill, spent yesterday in the city looking after his dry goods business.

Gen'mens, you just let me shine yo' shoes and you sho will look swell when you git out of my chair. Call for Columbus at Crowder's Barber Shop. 3t 306

G. M. Weems and J. W. Harper of Sulphur and W. M. Baughman of Roff were among yesterday's visitors.

J. C. Little, Esq., returned today to his new home at Sulphur. He and John Casteel have formed a law partnership at that place.

The Aetna Building and Loan Association will loan you money on city property. Small monthly payments. See M. D. Timberlake. 12t s06

A large number of witnesses were here from Sulphur yesterday to testify in the suit over the valuable Sulphur lot. Most of them returned home this morning, among them J. R. Standifer, his son, P. J., J. J. Jones, J. L. Seeds and Mrs. Pearl Williams.

Do You Need Shoes?

If you want a pair of Shoes that combine style, elegance and individuality with the best leather and excellent workmanship, why not try ours? You will be satisfied with your selection. The latest correct styles for men, women and children . . .

CHAPMAN
The Shoe Man.

Murphy & Patterson have opened a skating rink in the building formerly occupied by E. S. Tobin. They have a fine assortment of new skates and know how to operate a rink. Every body welcome. 408-tf

WANTED.—To work for a private family or hotel, private family preferred. Apply at Wood hotel. 2t 307

The Jurymen Slept on.

At noon Friday when the grand jury adjourned for dinner, one of the jurymen failed to adjourn. He had been up all night attending the Odd Fellows' feasts. Not being able to arouse him easily, his strenuous prodding large fire cracker and touched it off under his chair. He only sighed and slept serenely on. Whereupon his friends sent for a still larger cracker of cannon proportions. When that exploded the jurymen awoke with the terror of the damned in his face.

U. S. Court.

There was little of interest to the general public in the U. S. court's proceedings Thursday. There was a jury trial in the case of James L. Wyatt vs. Lee Trammel et al, in which plaintiff was given a small judgement for breach of a farm labor contract. In the afternoon a suit was on trial involving the right to a lot in Sulphur. Jno. P. McKinley was commissioned a notary public.

Mr. Sipes Locates in Ada.

Mr. T. Sipes and family, recently from Tulsa, have moved into the residence on 14th street next to W. W. Higgins'. Mr. Sipes is a Tennessean, has resided in the territory seven years and has decided preference for the southern part of the new state. He will in the near future engage in business in Ada. We are glad to have the estimable family added to our citizenship.

Thinks Fruit Uninjured.

J. E. Biles thinks the fruit crop in this vicinity is as yet not injured by the freeze. He was exhibiting on the streets a peach twig, the bursting buds of which appeared unharmed. Mr. Biles has examined a number of trees and he says all of them have escaped unscathed.

Court Notes

In the suit of Shinners vs. S. Y. Seeds over a bunch of lots at Sulphur now valued at \$4,000, the jury returned a verdict Friday morning awarding possession of the property to the plaintiff.

In the divorce suit of Amos S. Reckard vs. Mary E. Reckard a decree was granted plaintiff.

The grand jury brought in its first report in the afternoon. It found 14 commissioners' indictments, 16 originals and reported no bills in six commissioner cases.

Court adjourned at 3 o'clock until Monday. The judge will go to Chickasha for a two day visit.

Advertising Committee.

The advertising committee selected by the Ada commercial club to determine on class and character of advertising considered best to properly advertise Ada, met this morning to consider an advertising project which was presented by some St. Louis gentlemen who are promoting a special edition of the T. P. A Magazine, which is projected to contain a write up of fifteen Indian Territory towns. After carefully considering the proposition, it was unanimously voted that the advertising scheme was not acceptable and that the committee would not recommend it. The members of the committee were Otis B. Weaver, J. M. Doss, W. H. L. Campbell, John W. Dale and W. H. Ebey.

Deplores Political Conditions.

W. H. Ramsay, the examiner for the Department of Justice, after a week's official visit to Ada, left Friday for Dallas, thence to return East. This completes Mr. Ramsay's tour of the territory. After having visited all the important territory towns, he expressed himself as especially pleased with Ada.

Having spent the winter in this country, he says he appreciates the existing conditions as never before, and is an earnest advocate of single statehood for the two territories. Without such a personal investigation, Mr. Ramsay thinks no outsider can really grasp the shortcomings of the present political status. What appeals to him first and foremost is the thousands of children growing up in dense ignorance for lack of rural public schools which can only be secured through statehood.

Gov. W. L. Byrd arrived home today from an important trip to Muskogee. He had to come back to Shawnee on account of a wreck at Spalding yesterday.

Notice.

The delinquent tax list will be made out and published next week. Pay now and save cost. tf 287 J. I. Warren, Recorder.

Odd Fellows Big Time.

The following Roff Odd Fellows on Thursday night organized in Ada an encampment of that order:

T. J. Smith, E. J. Merritt, Geo. Hattenbach, J. H. Spann, S. H. Ailey, A. L. Bullock, E. E. Matthews, Geo. Mulder, Charles Billingsley and J. M. Sanders.

There were forty candidates from Ada and neighboring towns, twenty-three of whom were initiated last night. It was a big night for Odd Fellowship in Ada, and it lasted nearly all night.

Kansas Plug for Statehood

Judge J. T. Dickerson is considerably elated over the action of the Republicans in his old congressional district Thursday. In convention they nominated J. M. Miller for Congressman of the 4th Kansas district, and gave him emphatic instructions to cut loose from everything else and pull with all his might for statehood for Oklahoma and Indian Territory alone.

Nothing so thoroughly removes disease germs from the system as Prickly Ash Bitters. It gives life and action to the torpid liver, strengthens and assists the kidneys to properly cleanse the blood, gives tone to the stomach

Death Rate in New York and Chicago:

During November and December, 1908, one fifth of the deaths in New York and Chicago were from pneumonia. Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops the cough but heals and strengthens the lungs and prevents pneumonia, so do not take chances on a cold wearing away when Foley's Honey and Tar will cure you quickly and prevent serious results. Clark Drug Co. and Mason Drug Co.

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Why pay 5c per package for garden seed when you can buy 2 large packages for 5c. These seeds are fresh grown and none better upon the market.

We have hundreds of useful items you can buy at 5c and 10c. You have often paid twice the money for the same grade of goods.

What 5c Will Buy

2 cakes of Swiss laundry soap.

Large cake Cocoa Castile toilet soap.

2 boxes best Bag Blue.

Box 1000 matches.

Bottle Best Vaseline.

Handy kitchen knife.

2 mouse traps.

1 card good pearl buttons.

2 glass nest eggs.

Big piece table glassware.

4-yd lace shelf paper.

4-qt tin milk pan.

1-qt covered bucket.

Good strong fire shovel.

Good scrub brush.

Writing tablets 100 pages ink paper.

Package new style wallet envelopes.

5 rubber tip lead pencils.

And lots of other items.

What 10c Will Buy

"Henry Dastor's" Files, 8-inch, engraved lamp chimney, good No. 2 lamp burner, good heavy padlock, 10 qt milk pail, 2-qt tin coffee pot, 3-qt tin sauce pans, 50 feet wire clothesline, 20 Holdfast clothespins, 16 oz package Defiance starch, 3 cakes Silk soap, 6 cakes Greenville soap. Largest assortment of 10c novelties, glassware, plates, cups and saucers, vases, etc., ever shown in the city. Men's, ladies' or child's hose supporters, ladies' fast black hose, good dressing combs, Aluminum fine combs, etc.

Fresh Candles

Our big business in candy is pretty fair evidence that we are doing what we say. Try for yourself. Cocoa bonbons and chocolate drops, per pound 120

Yes, we have anything you want in Base Ball goods, Fishing Tackle and Marbles and the prices right.

Thanking you for past patronage and respectfully asking a continuance of same.

I am yours respectfully,

Nickel Store.

The 5c and 10c store of Ada, I. T.

S. M. Shaw, Prop

New location on Main street third door west of Rollow's corner.

Phone 77.

WANTS

FOR RENT.—Three room house good water; barn

TALES OF ADVENTURE

A PLUCKY GIRL.

FEW years ago a wealthy woman in Denver had a housemaid who attracted the attention of such of her callers as had an eye to see, by her refinement and good breeding. After awhile she disappeared, and her former employer was strictly non-committal as to her whereabouts, saying nothing except to speak in the highest terms of her qualities. The facts of the story came into my possession, and they were very interesting.

The girl had been graduated from one of the big Eastern colleges for women. She had taken the course at the expense of strenuous sacrifice on the part of her family, and was exceedingly anxious to become an earner at once upon her graduation. She was well fitted to step at once into a good pedagogic position.

But at the very moment of graduation, coming under the care of a physician, he told her the sad news that her lungs were in very poor condition. They were not diseased, he said, and if she could go directly to a proper climate and live in it for some years they would in all probability become perfectly sound; but that by remaining where she was for the next few years she risked tuberculosis. There was tendency of tuberculosis in her family, and she took the advice to heart.

She started straight for Colorado, hoping to get a school. But just at that time there was serious agitation in that State over the risk to children of employing so many Eastern consumptives in the schools. In response to the searching questions of each Board of Education to which she applied, her story would come out, and she could get no school. Rather than remain a burden upon her family for another day, she took a place as "second girl."

It was a pretty sad time for her. At the time of graduation she had been engaged to a young college man. He had his start in life to make, and also owed something to his family in the way of helping to educate younger children. It was impossible for them to marry for a few years. When she took the place as a servant she wrote releasing him from the engagement. The man, however, refused the release. He wrote her to hold on, to get as much outdoor life as possible, build up her health, and eventually they would work out the problem. Two years later he stepped into a professor's berth in a college in the Middle West. The pay was not plutocratic, but it enabled them to marry, and the household became a professor's wife.—New York Sun.

THROUGH THE BUSH.

From Oxford to Matabeleland is a long distance, and from the life of a college student to that of a surveyor in South Africa a far cry. A recent graduate of the English university tells in the New York Evening Post of a dangerous and trying journey through the bush. The party of surveyors had met with various misfortunes, the greatest of which was the slaughter of most of their cattle by lions. Only two were left to draw the cart. The travelers had to journey by foot. In this fashion the party turned back toward their starting place, Bulawayo.

The provisions began to grow low. We ran successively out of jam, corn, vegetables, coffee, sugar, and, what was more serious, our ammunition began to fail, and we were reduced to two cartridges a day. It was not yet hot enough to make "bitoag," a dried meat, which keeps good for an indefinite time.

"Do you think you could steer a straight course through the bush?" the captain asked me one day.

"I said I thought so."

The captain snorted a little condescendingly.

"I want you to go there," he said, pointing to a high range of kopjes five miles away. "Plant a large flag on the top of the highest hill you can find. It is to serve as the apex of the triangle we have been measuring. Start early to-morrow and guide yourself by the sun, allowing for its ascent and declination."

I started off at dawn, carrying an ax, and a large roll of calico for the flag. I reached the kopje shortly before noon, and after climbing with difficulty the great boulders, saw a higher range at the back. On the top of this I planted the flag securely, and after resting a bit started on my return with a light heart.

I had been walking for about three hours when my first doubts assailed me. It was growing dusk, the kopjes stood behind me, rows on rows, all alike. There was no landmark to guide me. I was lost.

I wandered about for more than two hours. The sun went down and the moon came out. To be lost in the bush is a serious matter. Suddenly, in the stillness of the night, I heard a beautiful sound, like a high note drawn by a master on some old violin. It might have been a mile away, and it rose and fell plaintively on the breeze. It was a lion, lifting up his voice by a pool.

I proceeded in the opposite direction. Luckily it was the right one, and after a few miles I came upon the

traces of our last night's camp. I followed our wagon trail, and just as the sun rose came upon my party.

The captain met me with the information that the ammunition was gone. Later one of us discovered a cartridge in the bottom of the cart, and brought down a duck. That night we had dinner for the last time in six days. Afterward we were reduced to half a pound of flour a day, which we mixed into a gruel and boiled.

On the fourth day all our supplies were gone. The last two days are hardly a memory to me. I remember hearing the crackling of the whip as the driver harried the weary oxen over the veld. At last, on the sixth day, we saw the houses of the settlement in the mirage two feet above the level of the plain.

MOUNTAIN TREASURE.

Dr. Augustus C. Hamlin, who died lately at his home in Bangor, was the owner of the Mount Mica mine, in the town of Paris, one of the most remarkable places in the world for its production of tourmalines. The story of the finding of these beautiful gems reads like a fairy-tale.

Not far from the little village of Paris Hill, Maine, rises an elevation known as Mount Mica, from the great sheets of mica which glisten on its sides. Under that shining surface the gray and white rocks have kept a secret for ages.

In 1820 two students, Elijah Hahlin and Ezekiel Holmes, were searching the vicinity for specimens of minerals. It was near nightfall on a cold autumn day, and they were about to turn their faces homeward when Hamlin caught sight of something sparkling at the roots of a tree. He picked it up, and found it to be a fragment of a clear green crystal. As it was too dark to look farther, the young men marked the spot, intending to return to it the next morning. That night a heavy snow-storm set in, and the ground was deeply covered for the winter.

When the spring came the two students were on the spot, eager for their unknown treasure. And they were not disappointed. The removal of a few handfuls of earth laid bare a shining store of brilliant green, pink and white crystals. Other cavities were found, and the enthusiastic discoverers promptly picked all these outside "pockets" of Mount Mica.

Specimens were sent to Professor Silsbee, who pronounced the beautiful stones to be rare specimens of tourmalines. The mine is still being worked, and doubtless the gray granite, the white feldspar and the rose-streaked quartz of that hill country cover many a rich hoard of brilliant gems.

FRONTIER STORIES.

Judge Edward Fenton Colborn, now of Salt Lake but an oldtime Kansas, tells this one on Bat Masterson:

In early days at Dodge City Bat was something of a practical joker as well as a gun player. An old character, such as may be seen hanging about saloons, sat one day in a chair in the Last Chance, leaning against the wall. He was a great fellow to brag about how brave he was and that he had many notches to his credit cut in his gunstock.

Masterson wanted to try the nerve of the old fellow, so he placed a cannon firecracker under his chair, lighted the fuse, and then, to attract the loafer's attention, handed him a new gun to look at. The firecracker went off with a bang that shook the walls. The old fellow leaped into the air like a winged Indian, and, throwing the gun on the floor, made for the door, yelling, "I'm killed, I'm killed!" This is another of Judge Colborn's stories:

When Dodge City was way out West, and hardly a night passed but that some one was killed, two desperate men met at a bar. They had had some trouble before and no further words were necessary. The thing in those days was to shoot on sight.

One of the men pulled his gun and fired, but his aim was bad, and the bullet struck the other man in one of his legs. The man who had received the wound made better work of it and put a bullet through his enemy's breast. He staggered, mortally wounded, and cried out:

"You have killed me!"

Quick the answer came back from the one who was shot in the leg:

"You haven't got any the best of me, you cur. I'm killed, too!"

But he still lives.—Denver News.

LOGGER KILLS A COUGAR.

Jesse Hendricks, logger of Holton, a town about twenty-five miles from Portland, on the Oregon side of the Columbia, was in the city recently endeavoring to dispose of the pelt of a cougar he had killed in the morning back of the logging camp in which he is employed.

Upon arising in the morning Hendricks noticed fresh tracks near the camp, and calling his dogs tracked the cougar to the forest, where the beast was treed and shot by the huntsman.

The cougar had been feeding on the carcasses of two deer that had fallen victims to the rapacious beast.

The animal measured seven feet from tip to tip, and its coat was sleek and thick, denoting that it had not been suffering from lack of food. Hendricks says that the cougars have been waging a war of extermination upon the deer of Columbia and Clatsop counties, and that a bounty should be offered for all pelts secured.—Portland Oregonian.

How He Left Her.

A prominent man called to condone with a lady on the death of her husband, and concluded by saying, "Did he leave you much?"

"Nearly every night," was the reply.

—Ladies' Home Journal.

THE MERRY SIDE OF LIFE

VINDICTIVE.

Although my fellow-man to me

Is closer than brother,

It fills me full of grouchiness

When one trusts sees another.

ONE TIME WHEN IT WASN'T.

"Ten cents for using that telephone, sir."

"I thought this was a land of free speech."

A SHREWD PHYSICIAN.

Mrs. Hoyle—"What did the doctor call your sickness?"

Mrs. Doyle—"I forgot, but he gave it some high-priced name."

A TIMELY COMPARISON.

"Foolish, isn't he?"

"Foolish! He's as foolish as a hen turkey fattening herself for the table." —Cleveland Plain Dealer.

SEEMS REASONABLE.

"I don't like that barber's side whiskers. They are not appropriate."

"What sort of whiskers should a barber wear?"

"Chin whiskers, of course."

WHAT ELSE?

"Ma," asked little Elbert, "why does every farmer have a barn?"

"Why, to give barn dances in, of course," replied the fashionable mother with a deep yawn.

WELL, THEY DID IT.

"It didn't make any difference what church you attended yesterday."

"No?"

"No; every minister sounded the 'rose in their might' timbre."

A PLEASANT ONE.

Mrs. Askitt—"I heard you had a surprise party at your house yesterday."

Mrs. Tellitt (absently) —"Yes, my husband gave me \$10 without my asking for it." —San Francisco Call.

FIXED FOR AWHILE.

"Cholly Dedbrooke is ardently running after Miss Scadsbury."

"Still pressing his suit, eh?"

"Well, I think he got some tailor to trust him for a new one this fall."

BAD ENOUGH.

"I know a lot of bad things about that pork packer," declared Nurdy.

"Name a few," said Butts.

"For one thing he adulterates his sausages."

"Is that the wurst?"

SUSPICIOUS.

Mrs. Crimsonbeak — "You are being called on the telephone, John."

Mr. Crimsonbeak — "Just please put your ear to the receiver and hear what I'm being called for before I answer." —Yonkers Statesman.

PROOF POSITIVE.

"This man Astoreller must want all the money there is in the world."

"Not at all. All he wants is a modest competency."

"How can you say that?"

"He's never gone into life insurance, has he?"

AN OFFSET.

Papa—"No, I shall not allow Gwen-

ald to marry young Skands."

Mamma—"But why not?"

Papa—"Suicide is hereditary in his family."

Mamma—"But so is \$10,000,000." —Cleveland Leader.

NOBODY.

Nurdy — "Even optimism may be made a nuisance."

Butts—"As to how?"

Nurdy—"Who wants to hear a woman singing, 'Let the Little Sunshine In,' with the thermometer standing at nine-

ty-seven in the shade?"

THROUGH THE WORLD.

"I'm going to devote my life to sinking the deepest shaft ever dug by man."

"What for?"

"Scientific purposes."

"Well, I hope success will attend you on your way through the world."

AROUND IT.

"My patrons are very exacting," com-

plained the dry goods merchant.

"You don't know the meaning of the term," retorted the florist. "I'm the man who has exacting patrons. Every time I sell a potted plant the purchaser expects me to throw it in the earth."

TOUGH SLEDDING.

"I suppose it's pretty hard to sell life insurance these days," remarked the casual visitor.

"Yes," admitted the agent, "it is. If we call a man a poor risk he gets mad, and if we call him a good risk he thinks we've got him classed as a 'come-on.'"

AN EMBARRASSING BLUNDER.

"How did your father treat George when he asked for you?"

"It was one of papa's deaf days, and he thought George was asking for a loan."

"What did he say?"

"He told George that while he would be glad to loan him the trifles he asked for, he had so many requests of the same character that he begged to be excused." —Cleveland Plain Dealer.

HOUSEHOLD AFFAIRS

"A KETTLE CLEANER."

A little article which housekeepers

who have used prononce indispensable could easily be made at home if not found in the local store, but the cost being only a dime it is of course cheaper to purchase if possible. It is a piece of heavy zinc, cut about three inches long and two inches wide with a slanting piece cut from one end, all the corners rounded and a hole pierced in one end by which it can be hung on a nail beside the sink. It is a kettle cleaner, and it does its work well.

COTTON WASTE CLEANER.

Why do not housekeepers adopt cotton waste as a cleaning agent? Watch the engineer pick up a bunch of waste,

wipe off oil or dust and throw the cotton into a heap to be burned at his convenience. How much better than to use a cloth which some one had to hem and some one else would have to wash and iron. Why is not cotton waste the best possible stuff to use instead of so many floor cloths, wall cloths, dust cloths, stove cleaners and mops? It is cheap, and it can be had anywhere. Cotton waste, by the way, is one of the best agencies for polishing waxed floors or furniture.

CARE OF LINOLEUM.

WEATHER FORECAST:

Tomorrow: Fair

THE EVENING NEWS.

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At 8 p. m., 80 degrees.

VOLUME 2

ADA, INDIAN TERRITORY, FRIDAY EVENING, MARCH 16, 1906.

NUMBER 308

CANNON CARRIED CAUCUS BUT 81 WERE ABSENT

Washington, March 16.—The committee on territories forty-three insurrectos who voted "automatically," as it has been explained. At best, the parliamentary warrant for this course is only a pretext, and there are good parliamentarians in the house who think it would not have even that poor justification. In even suggesting that the bill be sent to conference the Speaker has receded from his first position. Indeed, it may be said to be the general opinion that in deciding on this course the Speaker is making the predicate for a compromise. The conferees will be named by him, on the part of the house, of course, and two of the three will be subject to his direction. The likelihood is that they will be directed to stand out immovably against the Burrows amendment, but after a time they will be permitted to compromise on the original Foraker amendment, which provides that the people of New Mexico and Arizona shall vote on the question of their admission at the time the constitution is submitted for their ratification.

Porter's Politics.

U. S. Marshal G. A. Porter, who attended court in Ada this week, in speaking of the report circulated some days ago, to the effect that he was formerly a Democrat, took occasion in the presence of the News man to again emphatically deny the accusation. He declared he has always been a Republican from principle, and has never failed to support the National ticket. However he asserts he has seldom voted a straight party ticket in state, county or municipal elections, considering them not to involve party principles. Mr. Porter appears to be simply a good Republican of the more liberal type.

The action of Mr. Hamilton in proposing to send the bill to conference is taken to mean that the Speaker has abandoned his purpose of letting the bill go back to

C. C. Riddell, W. M. Emmons and J. T. Emmons, with their families, have arrived from White county, Ark., to secure land and reside in this country.

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BUSINESS MEN ACTIVE IN STATEHOOD CRISIS

In response to the call of President Hays of the Commercial Club for a statehood meeting a large number of citizens assembled Thursday night at the club room.

C. H. Ennis was unanimously elected chairman of the meeting and S. M. Shaw secretary.

After the discussion was started a good many gave free expression to their ideas and feelings on the statehood situation. All were agreed that our prospects are in the middle of a bad fix, thanks to the stubbornness and vanity of Cannon and Roosevelt; and that Ada people should spare no practical effort to help statehood through the crisis.

A motion was carried requesting that each local merchant at once wire to at least one of his

wholesale houses in the North or East to make a pull on Washington in statehood's behalf, and each local bank wire likewise to an eastern correspondent, and that all complying with the request report their action to the statehood mass meeting Saturday night.

Finally the elaborate discussions of the evening crystallized into the following action of the body: Messrs. Campbell, Weaver and Chambliss were appointed a committee to draft suitable messages to send to proper parties back East, urging congress to grant statehood to Oklahoma and Indian Territory. The committee was given plenary powers in the matter, limited to the expenditure of \$25 to be paid by the Commercial Club.

CHARGES ARE PREFERRED AGAINST EMBRY ALSO

Washington, March 16.—The President yesterday withdrew the nomination of John Embry to be United States attorney for Oklahoma.

The nomination was withdrawn by the President because of charges which have been preferred against Mr. Embry. It is

alleged that for the performance of certain law work of the Indians, Embry collected money from the Indians to which he was not entitled. Pending an investigation of the charges the president withdrew the nomination. If the charges should not be sustained the nomination will be forwarded to the senate.

ALIENATION CLAUSE NOT EFFECTIVE TILL JULY 1

Washington, March 16.—The conference put the finishing touches on the Five Tribes bill last afternoon and agreed on its report. The matters remaining undisposed of were of minor importance, but the work of the committee yesterday acquired some importance by reason of the fact that it made the third change in the section relating to the disposition of the mineral lands. By this latest decision the provision for the sale of the surface of the mineral lands, which was put in Tuesday at the instance of Mr. Stephens, was stricken out, and the bill now provides, merely, that for a period of one year none of the mineral lands shall be either sold or leased. This is substantially the Senate amend-

ment.

The committee also agreed to a provision which will enable the towns of the Territory to issue bonds for street improvements, so that in the event the statehood bill should fail there will be some means to do this work.

The conference report will not be submitted until next week. The conferees also agree to an amendment providing that the section relating to the removal of restrictions on the surplus lands of less than fullbloods shall not become effective until July 1. This was done as a precaution against plans which are understood to have been made to buy up at once such lands as under this provision will become alienable.

COLD WEATHER COOLS THE ARDOR OF VOTERS

On this, the 16th, the democrats of Ada are choosing the city officers for the ensuing year. While the severe weather does not seem to deter many voters from the primary polls, still there is by no means the keen excitement which has prevailed on such occasions in former years. The contests arousing most interest and comment seem to be the marshal's race and that for aldermen of the third ward. Also the friends of the two candidates for city attorney are quite active.

The polls will close at 6 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to the rendezvous at the News office tonight, where bulletins of the returns will be posted as fast as given out.

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Advertising rates furnished on application.

Get His Titles Mixed.

Senator Hemenway of Indiana, is new to the ways of the senate, but very familiar with the ways of the house, where he served for many years before he went into the senate. One day in debate on the pure food bill he referred many times to Senator Heyburn, who was in charge of the bill, as "The gentleman from Idaho," which is the custom of the house. In the senate they say "the senator from Idaho." After Hemeuway had called Heyburn "the gentleman from Idaho," several times he realized that he had made a mistake. "I hope," he said apologetically, "that the senator from Idaho will pardon me for calling him a gentleman." A little later Hemeuway had occasion to refer to Senator Gallinger. He said "The senator from New Hampshire, the most eminent physician in the senate." "Thank you for nothing," snapped Gallinger, "as much as I am the only physician in the senate."

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Etiquette Reformed.

"You see that hat?" abruptly demanded an Ada gentleman, as he thrust forth his head-piece for the reporter's inspection. The latter weekly admitted that he observed the hat. "You note," resumed the gentleman, "this bonnet is a genuine 'John B.' and comparatively new, yet it has a decidedly triangular contour. That comes from continually lifting my hat in greeting ladies on the street and replacing the same. Now I don't like any of your three-cornered cocked hats on top of me. I wasn't fashioned for the Washington-crossing-the-Delaware pose."

After pausing to expectorate the speaker continued. "Do you know what I'm going to do, fellow?" The reporter ventured to whisper he wasn't sure. "Why, I'm going in to defy that senseless rule of etiquette to abolish it. I pay as much homage to woman-kind as any man. I indorse politeness and all the amenities whatever there is a reason. But I be hanged if any longer I warp my hats into frightful shapes and tousle my ambro-vial locks in savage disorder. Henceforth, I compromise on a graceful variation of the military 'salute.'

Cured Hemorrhages of the Lungs

"Several years since my lungs were so badly affected that I had several hemorrhages," writes A. M. Ake of Wood, Ind. "I took treatment with several physicians without any benefit. I then started to take Foley's Honey and Tar, and my lungs are now as sound as a bullet. I recommend it in advanced stages of lung trouble." Foley's Honey and Tar stops the cough and heals the lung, and prevents serious results from a cold. Return substitutes. Clark Drug Co. and Mason Drug Co.

Election Notice.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the Town of Ada, Indian Territory, on Tuesday, April 8, 1906, at the places hereinafter named, for the purpose of electing the following officers, to wit:

Mayor, Treasurer, City Attorney, Marshal, Recorder, two Alderman from each ward. Street Commissioner.

That said election will be held in the following places, to wit:

Ward No. 1. In Lee Nettles' Frame Building, one door north from the Commercial Hotel.

Ward No. 2. At the Mayor's office.

Ward No. 3. At the Zinn brick building, one door west from the court house.

Ward No. 4. At the frame store building in the Chickasaw Wagon Yard on west Main street.

The polls will be opened at 8 o'clock, a. m. and closed at sunset.

Given under my hand on this the 10th day of March, 1906.

W. C. Duncan, Mayor

Sorosis Club.

Mrs. Lucas was hostess to the Club last Friday afternoon.

Our faithful president presided and thirteen members responded to roll call with some recent architectural achievement.

The lesson, a continuance of Midsummer Night's Dream, was well conducted by Mrs. B. C. King. Meedames McMillan and Hendley gave interesting accounts of the theatres of Shakespeare's time, and Old Inns and Taverns of London.

A pleasing feature was the discussion "Is Love a Madness," taken from these lines in the lesson:

"The lunatic, the lover and the poet

Are of imagination all compact.

One sees more devils than vast

Hell can hold,

That is the madman,

The lover all frantic,

See Helen's beauty in a braw

of Egyt." Etc.

From the opinions expressed it

would appear that love, like every

other human situation, has two

aspects, the one tragical, the other

comical.

The Club felt honored that the

Territorial President had selected

one of their members, Mrs. Hodges, as one of the Educational Committee, and are sure that she

will very ably fill the position.

Miss Case favored the club

with two very sweet musical se-

lections.

We're glad to welcome Mrs.

Broadfoot back into the Club.

Adjourned to meet with Mrs.

McMillan on March 23.

The Original

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LOCAL NEWS

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Hon. W. J. Cruse returned to Ardmore after transacting business this week in Ada.

Loer.—A gentleman's pearl-handled knife. Reward if left at News office at once. 2t 806

See P. K. Smith for up-to-now photo work. 152-tf

W. W. Brown, route agent for Wells-Fargo, is transacting business in Ada.

Mrs. Nellie Goodwin of the Creek Nation is a guest of her father, Preston Early.

The celebrated Albatross flour at Walsh's. tf 298

A. C. Smythe, C. W. Hardwicke and J. S. Seary of Calvin have been attending the court.

WANTED.—A man with equipment to clean out a bored well. tf 306 Otis B. Weaver.

High Thompson, special agent for the Frisco, is looking after company business in Ada today.

The celebrated Albatross flour at Walsh's. tf 299

Tom Lancaster's baby is very sick.

John Dagg is critically ill with pneumonia.

The celebrated Albatross flour at Walsh's. tf 298

Mrs. M. B. Donaghey returned home from Southtown.

Mrs. Mattie Cloyd came home last night from a visit with her brother at Ardmore.

Dr. Bisant, dentist, over Ada National Bank. tf 279

J. Bedford returned today from Oklahoma City.

Dr. B. H. Erb, dentist, Henley & Biles building. Phone No. 1. 233-tf

J. B. Kennard is here from Sulphur.

M. L. Perkins is here from Mesquite, Texas.

C. D. Ebey is in town from Texico, N. M.

Wedding invitations—latest styles—turned out at the News office. tf

H. E. Jones, a prominent Texan banker, is in town looking over the field for investment.

Lost.—Set of ring bearing Old English letter "S" with six chip diamonds inserted in letter. Return to M. D. Steiner at News office and get reward. tf 307

Attorneys Casteel and Bullock returned to Roff after attending the court this week.

F. M. Scott, of Madill, spent yesterday in the city looking after his dry goods business.

Gen'mens, you just let me shine yo' shoes and you sho' will look swell when you git out of my char. Call for Columbus at Crowder's Barber Shop. 3t 306

J. M. Weems and J. W. Harper of Sulphur and W. M. Baughman of Roff were among yesterday's visitors.

J. C. Little, Esq., returned today to his new home at Sulphur. He and John Casteel have formed a law partnership at that place.

The Aetna Building and Loan Association will loan you money on city property. Small monthly payments. See M. D. Timberlake. 12t 806

A large number of witnesses were here from Sulphur yesterday to testify in the suit over the valuable Sulphur lot. Most of them returned home this morning, among them J. R. Standifer, his son, P. J., J. J. Jones, J. L. Seeds and Mrs. Pearl Williams.

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WANTED.—To work for a private family or hotel, private family preferred. Apply at Wood hotel. 2t 307

The Juryman Slept on.

At noon Friday when the grand jury adjourned for dinner, one of the jurors failed to adjourn. He had been up all night attending the Odd Fellows' fellows festivities. Not being able to arouse him easily, his strenuous procured a large fire cracker and touched it off under his chair. He only sighed and slept serenely on. Whereupon his friends sent for a still larger cracker of cannon proportions. When that exploded the jurymen awoke with the terror of the damned in his face.

U. S. Court.

There was little of interest to the general public in the U. S. court's proceedings Thursday. There was a jury trial in the case of James L. Wyatt vs. Lee Trammel et al, in which plaintiff was given a small judgement for breach of a farm labor contract. In the afternoon a suit was on trial involving the right to a lot in Sulphur. Jno. P. McKinley was commissioned a notary public.

Mr. Sipes Looses in Ada.

Mr. T. Sipes and family, recently from Tulsa, have moved into the residence on 14th street next to W. W. Higgins'. Mr. Sipes is a Tennesseean, has resided in the territory seven years and has a decided preference for the southern part of the new state. He will in the near future engage in business in Ada. We are glad to have the estimable family added to our citizenship.

Thinks Fruit Uninjured.

J. E. Biles thinks the fruit crop in this vicinity is as yet not injured by the freeze. He was exhibiting on the streets a peach twig, the bursting buds of which appeared unharmed. Mr. Biles has examined a number of trees and he says all of them have escaped unscathed.

Court Notes

In the suit of Shinners vs. S. Y. Seeds over a bunch of lots at Sulphur now valued at \$4,000, the jury returned a verdict Friday morning awarding possession of the property to the plaintiff.

In the divorce suit of Amos S Reckard vs. Mary E. Reckard a decree was granted plaintiff.

The grand jury brought in its first report in the afternoon. It found 14 commissioners' indictments, 16 originals and reported no bills in six commissioner cases.

Court adjourned at 3 o'clock until Monday. The judge will go to Chickasha for a two day visit.

Advertising Committee.

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Gov. W. L. Byrd arrived home today from an important trip to Muskogee. He had to come back via Shawnee on account of a wreck at Spalding yesterday.

Notice.
The delinquent tax list will be made out and published next week. Pay now and save cost. tf 297 J. I. Warren, Recorder.

Odd Fellows Big Time.

The following Roff Odd Fellows on Thursday night organized in Ada an encampment of that order:

T. J. Smith, E. J. Merritt, Geo. Hattenbach, J. H. Spann, S. H. Ailey, A. L. Bullock, E. E. Matthews, Geo. Mulder, Charles Billingsley and J. M. Sanders.

There were forty candidates from Ada and neighboring towns, twenty-three of whom were initiated last night. It was a big night for Odd Fellowship in Ada, and it lasted nearly all night.

Kansas Plug for Statehood.

Judge J. T. Dickerson is considerably elated over the action of the Republicans in his old congressional district Thursday. In convention they nominated J. M. Miller for Congressman of the 4th Kansas district, and gave him emphatic instructions to cut loose from everything else and pull with all his might for statehood for Oklahoma and Indian Territory alone.

Nothing so thoroughly removes disease germs from the system as Prickly Ash Bitters. It gives life and action to the torpid liver, strengthens and assists the kidneys to properly cleanse the blood, gives tone to the stomach

Death Rate in New York and Chicago.

During November and December, 1903, one fifth of the deaths in New York and Chicago were from pneumonia. Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops the cough but heals and strengthens the lungs and prevents pneumonia, so do not take chances on a cold wearing away when Foley's Honey and Tar will cure you quickly and prevent serious results. Clark Drug Co. and Mason Drug Co.

Court Notes

In the suit of Shinners vs. S. Y. Seeds over a bunch of lots at Sulphur now valued at \$4,000, the jury returned a verdict Friday morning awarding possession of the property to the plaintiff.

In the divorce suit of Amos S Reckard vs. Mary E. Reckard a decree was granted plaintiff.

The grand jury brought in its first report in the afternoon. It found 14 commissioners' indictments, 16 originals and reported no bills in six commissioner cases.

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Look for the STEER HEAD SIGN

Try me for fresh vegetables, celery and fish. From now on I will have fresh brains every Wednesday . . .

R. S. Tobin

Phone 21.

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ESTABLISHED 1901.
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WANTS

FOR RENT.—Three room house good water; barn. East Tenth street. Otis B. Weaver.

FOR RENT.—One two-room and two four-room dwellings, tf 291 J. F. McKeel.

To Candidates.

The News respectfully solicits the publication of the announcements of those who may be presented to us by their friends for consideration for the position of Mayor of Ada. These announcements, to be published daily until election, also in the Weekly and for \$100 candidate cards and for the little introductory writing, will be placed in the hands of the voters on the ticket, which will occur in the regular order of announcement, there will be a charge of \$10, payable in advance.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

MAYOR.
J. P. Wood.
J. W. Davis.

CITY ATTORNEY.

B. C. King.
T. P. Holt.

RECOORDER, ASSESSOR, COLLECTOR.

J. I. Warren.
D. W. Swaffar.

CITY TREASURER.

S. W. Hill.

CITY MARSHAL.

Lem Mitchell.
R. C. Couch.
W. B. Adair.
F. J. Etter.

STREET COMMISSIONER.

Jim D. Gaar.

ALDERMEN.

First Ward.
M. D. Timberlake.
B. A. Mason.
Second Ward.
J. E. Bills.
A. J. McFarland.
Third Ward.
James E. Webb.
W. H. Nettles.

Fourth Ward.
W. C. Lee.
A. R. Sugg.

FOR LAND SURVEYING

See or Write to Me.
J. C. EARLY.
With J. H. Wright & Co.,
SULPHUR, IND. TER.

Buy a Home of Your Own.

Sprague Bros.,
Dealers in

REAL ESTATE

Have a number of desirable pieces of property that can be sold cheaper than you can pay rent. Here are a few of their bargains:
40 acre five-year lease near Beebe, at \$135

a lots and 3-room house with a good well and barn, close in, \$1025

1 lot and 2-room house on W. Sixth street, at \$365

1 lot and 4-room house on Fourteenth street between Broadway and Townsend, at \$700

2 lots and 4-room house on W. Fifteenth street, good well of water, barn and fruit trees, \$1025

Property in Ada will never be cheaper than now. Take advantage of the opportunity and

"Buy a Home of Your Own."

Main St., Ada, I. T.

Rollow Bldg., Ada, I. T.

Solicit a part of your business.

They will make you an abstract of title, write your fire insurance, deeds, mortgages, or leases. Also do notary work. There is not a firm in town that will appreciate your business more than they will.

Geo. A. Truitt,
Engineer and Land Surveyor

Office Rear Ada National Bank.

Prompt and Careful Attention

Given to All Work Entrusted.

Ada Opera House

ONE NIGHT ONLY

Wednesday, March 14,

Robert Sherman's Great Comedy Drama

"My Friend From Ark



A PLUCKY GIRL.

A FEW years ago a wealthy woman in Denver had a housemaid who attracted the attention of such of her callers as had an eye to see, by her refinement and good breeding. After a while she disappeared, and her former employer was strictly non-committal as to her whereabouts, saying nothing except to speak in the highest terms of her qualities. The facts of the story came into my possession, and they were very interesting.

The girl had been graduated from one of the big Eastern colleges for women. She had taken the course at the expense of strenuous sacrifice on the part of her family, and was exceedingly anxious to become an earner at once upon her graduation. She was well fitted to step at once into a good pedagogic position.

But at the very moment of graduation, coming under the care of a physician, he told her the sad news that her lungs were in very poor condition. They were not diseased, he said, and if she could go directly to a proper climate and live in it for some years they would in all probability become perfectly sound; but that by remaining where she was for the next few years she risked tuberculosis. There was tendency of tuberculosis in her family, and she took the advice to heart.

She started straight for Colorado, hoping to get a school. But just at that time there was serious agitation in that State over the risk to children of employing so many Eastern consumptives in the schools. In response to the searching questions of each Board of Education to which she applied, her story would come out, and she could get no school. Rather than remain a burden upon her family for another day, she took a place as "second girl."

It was a pretty sad time for her. At the time of graduation she had been engaged to a young college man. He had his start in life to make, and also owed something to his family in the way of helping to educate younger children. It was impossible for them to marry for a few years. When she took the place as a servant she wrote releasing him from the engagement. The man, however, refused the release. He wrote her to hold on, to get as much outdoor life as possible, build up her health, and eventually they would work out the problem. Two years later he stepped into a professor's berth in a college in the Middle West. The pay was not plutocratic, but it enabled them to marry, and the housemaid became a professor's wife. —New York Sun.

THROUGH THE BUSH.

From Oxford to Matabeleland is a long distance, and from the life of a college student to that of a surveyor in South Africa a far cry. A recent graduate of the English university tells in the New York Evening Post of a dangerous and trying journey through the bush. The party of surveyors had met with various misfortunes, the greatest of which was the slaughter of most of their cattle by lions. Only two were left to draw the cart. The travelers had to journey by foot. In this fashion the party turned back toward their starting place, Bulawayo.

Our provisions began to grow low. We ran successively out of jam, corn, vegetables, coffee, sugar, and, what was more serious, our ammunition began to fail, and we were reduced to two cartridges a day. It was not yet hot enough to make "bitong," a dried meat, which keeps good for an indefinite time.

"Do you think you could steer a straight course through the bush?" the captain asked me one day.

I said I thought so.

The captain snorted a little condescendingly.

"I want you to go there," he said, pointing to a high range of kopjes five miles away. "Plant a large flag on the top of the highest hill you can find. It is to serve as the apex of the triangle we have been measuring. Start early to-morrow and guide yourself by the sun, allowing for its ascent and declination."

I started at dawn, carrying an ax, and a large roll of calico for the flag. I reached the kopje shortly before noon, and after climbing with difficulty the great boulders, saw a higher range at the back. On the top of this I planted the flag securely, and after resting a bit started on my return with a light heart.

I had been walking for about three hours when my first doubts assailed me. It was growing dusk, the kopjes stood behind me, rows on rows, all alike. There was no landmark to guide me. I was lost.

I wandered about for more than two hours. The sun went down and the moon came out. To be lost in the bush is a serious matter. Suddenly, in the stillness of the night, I heard a beautiful sound, like a high note drawn by a master on some old violin. It might have been a mile away, and it rose and fell plaintively on the breeze. It was a lion, lifting up his voice by a pool.

I proceeded in the opposite direction. Luckily it was the right one, and after a few miles I came upon the

traces of our last night's camp. I followed our wagon trail, and just as the sun rose came upon my party.

The captain met me with the information that the ammunition was gone. Later one of us discovered a cartridge in the bottom of the cart, and brought down a duck. That night we had dinner for the last time in six days. Afterward we were reduced to half a pound of flour a day, which we mixed into a gruel and boiled.

On the fourth day all our supplies were gone. The last two days are hardly a memory to me. I remember trudging beside the cart, hearing the cracking of the whip as the driver harried the weary oxen over the veld. At last, on the sixth day, we saw the houses of the settlement in the mirage two feet above the level of the plain.

MOUNTAIN TREASURE.

Dr. Augustus C. Hamlin, who died lately at his home in Bangor, was the owner of the Mount Mica mine, in the town of Paris, one of the most remarkable places in the world for its production of tourmalines. The story of the finding of these beautiful gems reads like a fairy-tale.

Not far from the little village of Paris Hill, Maine, rises an elevation known as Mount Mica, from the great sheets of mica which glisten on its sides. Under that shining surface the gray and white rocks have kept a secret for ages.

In 1820 two students, Elijah Hahlin and Ezekiel Holmes, were searching the vicinity for specimens of minerals. It was near nightfall on a cold autumn day, and they were about to turn their faces homeward when Hamlin caught sight of something sparkling at the roots of a tree. He picked it up, and found it to be a fragment of a clear green crystal. As it was too dark to look farther, the young men marked the spot, intending to return to it the next morning. That night a heavy snow-storm set in, and the ground was deeply covered for the winter.

When the spring came the two students were on the spot, eager for their unknown treasure. And they were not disappointed. The removal of a few handfuls of earth laid bare a shining store of brilliant green, pink and white crystals. Other cavities were found, and the enthusiastic discoverers promptly picked all these outside "pockets" of Mount Mica.

Specimens were sent to Professor Silliman, who pronounced the beautiful stones to be rare specimens of tourmalines. The mine is still being worked, and doubtless the gray granite, the white feldspar and the rose-streaked quartz of that hill-country cover many a rich hoard of brilliant gems.

FRONTIER STORIES.

Judge Edward Fenton Colborn, now of Salt Lake but an oldtime Kansas, tells this one on Bat Masterson:

In early days at Dodge City Bat was something of a practical joker as well as a gun player. An old character, such as may be seen hanging about saloons, sat one day in a chair in the Last Chance, leaning against the wall. He was a great fellow to brag about how brave he was and that he had many notches to his credit cut in his gunstock.

Masterson wanted to try the nerve of the old fellow, so he placed a cannon firecracker under his chair, lighted the fuse, and then, to attract the looter's attention, handed him a new gun to look at. The firecracker went off with a bang that shook the walls. The old fellow leaped into the air like a winged Indian, and, throwing the gun on the floor, made for the door, yelling, "I'm killed, I'm killed!" This is another of Judge Colborn's stories:

When Dodge City was way out West, and hardly a night passed but that some one was killed, two desperate men met at a bar. They had had some trouble before and no further words were necessary. The thing in those days was to shoot on sight.

One of the men pulled his gun and fired, but his aim was bad, and the bullet struck the other man in one of his legs. The man who had received the wound made better work of it and put a bullet through his enemy's breast. He staggered, mortally wounded, and cried out:

"You have killed me!"

Quick the answer came back from the one who was shot in the leg:

"You haven't got any the best of me, you cur. I'm killed, too!"

But he still lives.—Denver News.

LOGGER KILLS A COUGAR.

Jesse Hendricks, a logger of Holton, a town about twenty-five miles from Portland, on the Oregon side of the Columbia, was in the city recently endeavoring to dispose of the pelt of a cougar he had killed in the morning back of the logging camp in which he is employed.

Upon arising in the morning Hendricks noticed fresh tracks near the camp, and calling his dogs tracked the cougar to the forest, where the beast was treed and shot by the huntsman. The cougar had been feeding on the carcasses of two deer that had fallen victims to the rapacious beast. The animal measured seven feet from tip to tip, and its coat was sleek and thick, denoting that it had not been suffering from lack of food. Hendricks says that the cougars have been waging a war of extermination upon the deer of Columbia and Clatsop counties, and that a bounty should be offered for all pelts secured.—Portland Oregonian.

How He Left Her.

A prominent man called to condone with a lady on the death of her husband, and concluded by saying, "Did he leave you much?"

"Nearly every night," was the reply.—Ladies' Home Journal.



VINDICTIVE.

Although my fellow to me Is closer than a brother, It fills me full of ghoulish glee When one true sues another.

ONE TIME WHEN IT WASN'T.
"Ten cents for using that telephone, sir."

"I thought this was a land of free speech."

A SHREWD PHYSICIAN.
Mrs. Doyle—"What did the doctor call your sickness?"

Mrs. Doyle—"I forgot, but he gave it some high-priced name."

A TIMELY COMPARISON.
"Foolish, isn't he?"

"Foolish! He's as foolish as a hen turkey fattening herself for the table."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

SEEMS REASONABLE.
"I don't like that barber's side whiskers. They are not appropriate."

"What sort of whiskers should a barber wear?"

"Chin whiskers, of course."

WHAT ELSE?
"Ma," asked little Egbert, "why does every farmer have a barn?"

"Why, to give barn dances in, of course," replied the fashionable mother with a deep yawn.

WELL, THEY DID IT.
"It didn't make any difference what church you attended yesterday."

"No?"

"No; every minister sounded the 'rose in their might' timbre."

A PLEASANT ONE.
Mrs. Askill—"I heard you had a surprise party at your house yesterday."

Mrs. Tellitt (absently)—"Yes, my husband gave me \$10 without my asking for it."—San Francisco Call.

FIXED FOR AWHILE.
"Cholly Dedbroke is ardently running after Miss Scudsbury."

"Still pressing his suit, eh?"

"Well, I think he got some tailor to trust him for a new one this fall."

BAD ENOUGH.

"I know a lot of bad things about that pork packer," declared Nordy.

"Name a few," said Butts.

"For one thing he adulterates his sausage."

"Is that the worst?"

SUSPICIOUS.

Mrs. Crimsonbeak—"You are being called on the telephone, John."

Mrs. Crimsonbeak—"Just please put your ear to the receiver and hear what I'm being called for before I answer."—Yonkers Statesman.

PROOF POSITIVE.

"This man Astoreller must want all the money there is in the world."

"Not at all. All he wants is a modest competency."

"How can you say that?"

"He's never gone into life insurance, has he?"

AN OFFSET.

Papa—"No, I shall not allow Gwen-dolin to marry young Skuds."

Mamma—"But why not?"

Papa—"Sulcide is hereditary in his family."

Mamma—"But so is \$10,000,000."—Cleveland Leader.

NOBODY.

Nordy—"Even optimism may be made a nuisance."

Butts—"As to how?"

Nordy—"Who wants to hear a woman singing, 'Let a Little Sunshine In,' with the thermometer standing at nine-ty-seven in the shade?"

THROUGH THE WORLD.

"I'm going to devote my life to sinking the deepest shaft ever dug by man."

"What for?"

"Scientific purposes."

"Well, I hope success will attend you on your way through the world."

AROUND IT.

"My patrons are very exacting," complained the dry goods merchant.

"You don't know the meaning of the term," retorted the florist. "I'm the man who has exacting patrons. Every time I sell a potted plant the purchaser expects me to throw in the earth."

TOUGH SLEDDING.

"I suppose it's pretty hard to sell life insurance these days," remarked the casual visitor.

"Yes," admitted the agent, "it is. If we call a man a poor risk he gets mad, and if we call him a good risk he thinks we've got him classed as a 'come-on.'"

AN EMBARRASSING BLUNDER.

"How did your father treat George when he asked for you?"

"It was one of papa's deaf days, and he thought George was asking for a loan."

"What did he say?"

"He told George that while he would be glad to loan him the trifles he asked for, he had so many requests of the same character that he begged to be excused."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.



A KETTLE CLEANER.

"A little article which housekeepers who have used pronounce indispensable could easily be made at home if not found in the local store, but the cost being only a dime it is of course cheaper to purchase if possible. It is a piece of heavy zinc, cut about three inches long and two inches wide with a slanting piece cut from one end, all the corners rounded and a hole pierced in one end by which it can be hung on a nail beside the sink. It is a kettle cleaner, and it does its work well."

COTTON WASTE CLEANER.

"Why do not housekeepers adopt cotton waste as a cleaning agent? Watch the engineer pick up a bunch of waste, wipe off oil or dust and throw the cotton into a heap to be burned at his convenience. How much better than to use a cloth which some one had to hem and some one else would have to wash and iron. Why is not cotton waste the best possible stuff to use instead of so many floor cloths, wall cloths, dust cloths, stove cleaners and mops? It is cheap, and it can be had anywhere. Cotton waste, by the way, is one of the best agencies for polishing waxed floors or furniture."

CARE OF LINOLEUM.

"A household economics authority says: 'In caring for linoleum do not use soapsuds as for scrubbing a floor. It stands to reason that soap is going to injure the varnish and the finish. On a farm where there is plenty of milk, a cloth wrung out of skim milk is the best means of taking up the dust and brightening the linoleum. Where milk is scarce, or needed for food, use lukewarm water, to which has been added half a cupful of kerosene. Wring the cloth rather dry from this, and go over the linoleum after sweeping, and it will be quite new and bright, and the finish uninjured. Most housewives scrub oilcloth and linoleum as though it were a bare door; it is dusty rather than dirty, since everything remains on the top, and for this reason a clean cloth slightly damp is all that is necessary.'

HINTS ON CAKE-MAKING.

"Home-made cakes, skillfully mixed and baked, are wholesome, more nourishing and far more appetizing than bought ones. The art of cake-making is simple, the important points being exactitude in the proportions of ingredients, care in preparing them, and lightness of hand in mixing."

"Here are a few 'sign-posts' which will point the way to success in cake-making:

All ingredients to be of good quality.

The flour should be thoroughly dry and sifted well, if the cake is to be light. Damp flour makes heavy cakes.

Fruit should be freed of stalks, stones and be rubbed in a clean cloth. Fresh butter is better than suet; and sweet, pure beef dripping makes excellent plain cakes.

Weigh each ingredient carefully, and be sure the quantities are correct.